

**Table 7.**  
**Recipients, by type of income, eligibility category, and age, December 2005**

Type of income	Total	Category			Age		
		Aged	Blind	Disabled	Under 18	18-64	65 or older
All recipients <sup>a</sup>	7,113,879	1,214,296	75,039	5,824,544	1,036,498	4,082,870	1,994,511
No other income	3,934,300	426,669	39,983	3,467,648	771,472	2,431,631	731,197
Earned income	272,881	17,470	4,512	250,899	3,101	242,748	27,032
Unearned income							
Social Security benefits	2,500,705	695,428	27,358	1,777,919	74,231	1,286,950	1,139,524
Veterans' benefits	65,334	27,140	514	37,680	1,308	22,031	41,995
Income based on need	14,705	203	45	14,457	9,636	4,852	217
Workers' compensation	4,938	379	20	4,539	18	4,007	913
Support from absent parents	136,742	...	914	135,828	133,410	3,332	...
Pensions	60,012	39,860	400	19,752	30	12,352	47,630
Support and maintenance	290,862	85,422	2,610	202,830	45,715	140,264	104,883
Asset income <sup>b</sup>	206,796	74,774	2,895	129,127	11,169	92,996	102,631
Other <sup>c</sup>	81,607	13,107	838	67,662	3,181	59,373	19,053

SOURCE: Social Security Administration, Supplemental Security Record (Characteristic Extract Record format), 100 percent data.

NOTE: ... = not applicable.

a. The sum of the entries may be greater than the total because some recipients may receive more than one type of unearned income or both earned and unearned income.

b. Includes income received as rent, interest, dividends, and royalties.

c. Does not include income deemed from a spouse or parent.

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